

CIVIL COVER SHEET

The JS 44 civil cover sheet and the information contained herein neither replace nor supplement the filing and service of pleadings or other papers as required by law, except as provided by local rules of court. This form, approved by the Judicial Conference of the United States in September 1974, is required for the use of the Clerk of Court for the purpose of initiating the civil docket sheet. (SEE INSTRUCTIONS ON NEXT PAGE OF THIS FORM.)

I. (a) PLAINTIFFS

BRANDON C. HELMAN

(b) County of Residence of First Listed Plaintiff Wyandot
(EXCEPT IN U.S. PLAINTIFF CASES)

(c) Attorneys (Firm Name, Address, and Telephone Number)

Brandon C. Helman (Pro Se). P.O Box 22, Upper Sandusky, OH 43351. 419-577-7148.

DEFENDANTS

JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A.

County of Residence of First Listed Defendant

(IN U.S. PLAINTIFF CASES ONLY)

NOTE: IN LAND CONDEMNATION CASES, USE THE LOCATION OF THE TRACT OF LAND INVOLVED.

Attorneys (If Known)

Sarah M. Benoit. Taft Stettinius & Hollister, LLP. 41 St., Suite 1800, Columbus, Ohio 43214. 614-220-0261.

II. BASIS OF JURISDICTION (Place an "X" in One Box Only)

<input type="checkbox"/> 1 U.S. Government Plaintiff	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 3 Federal Question (U.S. Government Not a Party)
<input type="checkbox"/> 2 U.S. Government Defendant	<input type="checkbox"/> 4 Diversity (Indicate Citizenship of Parties in Item III)

III. CITIZENSHIP OF PRINCIPAL PARTIES (Place an "X" in One Box for Plaintiff and One Box for Defendant)

	PTF	DEF		PTF	DEF
Citizen of This State	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	Incorporated or Principal Place of Business In This State	<input type="checkbox"/> 4	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 4
Citizen of Another State	<input type="checkbox"/> 2	<input type="checkbox"/> 2	Incorporated and Principal Place of Business In Another State	<input type="checkbox"/> 5	<input type="checkbox"/> 5
Citizen or Subject of a Foreign Country	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	Foreign Nation	<input type="checkbox"/> 6	<input type="checkbox"/> 6

IV. NATURE OF SUIT (Place an "X" in One Box Only)

CONTRACT	TORTS	FORFEITURE/PENALTY	BANKRUPTCY	OTHER STATUTES
<input type="checkbox"/> 110 Insurance	PERSONAL INJURY	PERSONAL INJURY	INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS	<input type="checkbox"/> 375 False Claims Act
<input type="checkbox"/> 120 Marine	<input type="checkbox"/> 310 Airplane	<input type="checkbox"/> 365 Personal Injury - Product Liability	<input type="checkbox"/> 422 Appeal 28 USC 158	<input type="checkbox"/> 376 Qui Tam (31 USC 3729(a))
<input type="checkbox"/> 130 Miller Act	<input type="checkbox"/> 315 Airplane Product Liability	<input type="checkbox"/> 367 Health Care/ Pharmaceutical Personal Injury	<input type="checkbox"/> 423 Withdrawal 28 USC 157	<input type="checkbox"/> 400 State Reapportionment
<input type="checkbox"/> 140 Negotiable Instrument	<input type="checkbox"/> 320 Assault, Libel & Slander	<input type="checkbox"/> 368 Product Liability	<input type="checkbox"/> 410 Antitrust	
<input type="checkbox"/> 150 Recovery of Overpayment & Enforcement of Judgment	<input type="checkbox"/> 330 Federal Employers' Liability	<input type="checkbox"/> 368 Asbestos Personal Injury Product Liability	<input type="checkbox"/> 430 Banks and Banking	
<input type="checkbox"/> 151 Medicare Act	<input type="checkbox"/> 340 Marine	<input type="checkbox"/> 370 Other Fraud	<input type="checkbox"/> 450 Commerce	
<input type="checkbox"/> 152 Recovery of Defaulted Student Loans (Excludes Veterans)	<input type="checkbox"/> 345 Marine Product Liability	<input type="checkbox"/> 371 Truth in Lending	<input type="checkbox"/> 460 Deportation	
<input type="checkbox"/> 153 Recovery of Overpayment of Veteran's Benefits	<input type="checkbox"/> 350 Motor Vehicle	<input type="checkbox"/> 380 Other Personal Property Damage	<input type="checkbox"/> 470 Racketeer Influenced and Corrupt Organizations	
<input type="checkbox"/> 160 Stockholders' Suits	<input type="checkbox"/> 355 Motor Vehicle	<input type="checkbox"/> 385 Property Damage	<input type="checkbox"/> 480 Consumer Credit (15 USC 1681 or 1692)	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 190 Other Contract	<input type="checkbox"/> 360 Other Personal Injury	<input type="checkbox"/> 390 Other Product Liability	<input type="checkbox"/> 485 Telephone Consumer Protection Act	
<input type="checkbox"/> 195 Contract Product Liability	<input type="checkbox"/> 362 Personal Injury - Medical Malpractice	<input type="checkbox"/> 400 Other Fraud	<input type="checkbox"/> 490 Cable/Sat TV	
<input type="checkbox"/> 196 Franchise		<input type="checkbox"/> 410 Employment	<input type="checkbox"/> 850 Securities/Commodities/ Exchange	
REAL PROPERTY	CIVIL RIGHTS	PRISONER PETITIONS	SOCIAL SECURITY	<input type="checkbox"/> 890 Other Statutory Actions
<input type="checkbox"/> 210 Land Condemnation	<input type="checkbox"/> 440 Other Civil Rights	Habeas Corpus:	<input type="checkbox"/> 861 HIA (1395f)	<input type="checkbox"/> 891 Agricultural Acts
<input type="checkbox"/> 220 Foreclosure	<input type="checkbox"/> 441 Voting	<input type="checkbox"/> 463 Alien Detainee	<input type="checkbox"/> 862 Black Lung (923)	<input type="checkbox"/> 893 Environmental Matters
<input type="checkbox"/> 230 Rent Lease & Ejectment	<input type="checkbox"/> 442 Employment	<input type="checkbox"/> 510 Motions to Vacate Sentence	<input type="checkbox"/> 863 DIWC/DIWW (405(g))	<input type="checkbox"/> 895 Freedom of Information Act
<input type="checkbox"/> 240 Torts to Land	<input type="checkbox"/> 443 Housing/ Accommodations	<input type="checkbox"/> 530 General	<input type="checkbox"/> 864 SSID Title XVI	<input type="checkbox"/> 896 Arbitration
<input type="checkbox"/> 245 Tort Product Liability	<input type="checkbox"/> 445 Amer. w/Disabilities - Employment	<input type="checkbox"/> 535 Death Penalty	<input type="checkbox"/> 865 RSI (405(g))	<input type="checkbox"/> 899 Administrative Procedure Act/Review or Appeal of Agency Decision
<input type="checkbox"/> 290 All Other Real Property	<input type="checkbox"/> 446 Amer. w/Disabilities - Other	Other:	<input type="checkbox"/> 870 Taxes (U.S. Plaintiff or Defendant)	<input type="checkbox"/> 950 Constitutionality of State Statutes
	<input type="checkbox"/> 448 Education	<input type="checkbox"/> 540 Mandamus & Other	<input type="checkbox"/> 871 IRS—Third Party 26 USC 7609	
		<input type="checkbox"/> 550 Civil Rights		
		<input type="checkbox"/> 555 Prison Condition		
		<input type="checkbox"/> 560 Civil Detainee - Conditions of Confinement		
IMMIGRATION				
		<input type="checkbox"/> 462 Naturalization Application		
		<input type="checkbox"/> 465 Other Immigration Actions		

V. ORIGIN (Place an "X" in One Box Only)

<input type="checkbox"/> 1 Original	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 2. Removed from State Court	<input type="checkbox"/> 3 Remanded from Appellate Court	<input type="checkbox"/> 4 Reinstated or Reopened	<input type="checkbox"/> 5 Transferred from Another District	<input type="checkbox"/> 6 Multidistrict Litigation - Transfer	<input type="checkbox"/> 8 Multidistrict Litigation - Direct File
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Cite the U.S. Civil Statute under which you are filing (Do not cite jurisdictional statutes unless diversity):

VI. CAUSE OF ACTION

Brief description of cause:

Alleged breach of contract, breach of fiduciary duty, fraud, and violation of federal law based on repayment of line of credit.

VII. REQUESTED IN COMPLAINT:

 CHECK IF THIS IS A CLASS ACTION
UNDER RULE 23, F.R.Cv.P.

DEMAND \$

\$1,000,000

CHECK YES only if demanded in complaint:

JURY DEMAND: Yes No

VIII. RELATED CASE(S)

IF ANY

(See instructions):

JUDGE

DOCKET NUMBER

DATE

SIGNATURE OF ATTORNEY OF RECORD

June 4, 2025

/s/ Sarah M. Benoit

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RECEIPT #

AMOUNT

APPLYING IFFP

JUDGE

MAG. JUDGE

**SUPPLEMENTAL CIVIL COVER SHEET
FOR CASES REMOVED FROM STATE COURT**

*This form must be attached to the Civil Cover Sheet at the time
the case is filed in the United States District Court*

State Court County: Franklin

Case number and caption:

25 CV 3458

Case Number

Brandon Helman

Plaintiff(s)

vs

JPMorgan Chase Bank, N

Defendant(s)

Jury Demand Made in State Court:

Yes No

If "Yes," by which party and on what Date:

Plaintiff Brandon Helman

Party

4-25-2025

Date

Were there parties not served prior to removal?

Yes No

Were there parties dismissed/terminated prior to removal?

Yes No

Were there answers filed in State Court?

Yes No

Is there a pending TRO in State Court?

Yes No

If you have answered "yes" to any of the above please list parties not served, the parties dismissed/terminated and the parties that filed their answers on the reverse of this page.

On the reverse of this page please list all Plaintiff(s), Defendant(s), Intervenor(s), Counterclaimant(s), Crossclaimant(s) and Third Party Claimant(s) still remaining in the case and indicate their party type. Please list the attorney(s) of record for each party named and include their bar number, firm name, correct mailing address and phone number, including area code.

Are copies of all state case pleadings attached to your removal?

Yes No

If your answer is "No", when will they be filed:

List the parties that are removing the case:

JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A.

Parties Not Served	Parties Dismissed	Answers Filed
<i>I.E. Defendant John Doe</i>	<i>I.E. Defendant John Doe</i>	<i>I.E. Defendant John Doe</i>

Party and Type	Attorney(s)
<p><i>I.E. Plaintiff John Doe</i></p> <p>Plaintiff Brandon C. Helmon (Pro Se)</p> <p>JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A.</p>	<p><i>I.E. Attorney(s) Name</i></p> <p><i>Firm</i></p> <p><i>Address</i></p> <p><i>City, State, Zip</i></p> <p><i>Telephone and Fax Number</i></p> <p><i>Supreme Court Number</i></p> <p>Daniela Paez (0091212) (Trial Attorney) 200 Public Square, Suite 3500 Cleveland, Ohio 44114-2302 Tel: (216) 241-2838 Fax: (216) 241-3707 E-mail: dpaez@taftlaw.com</p> <p>Sarah M. Benoit (0086616) John N. Huffman (0102116) 41 S. High Street, Suite 1800 Columbus, Ohio 43215 Tel: (614) 221-2838 Fax: (614) 221-2007 E-mail: sbenoit@taftlaw.com jhuffman@taftlaw.com</p> <p>Attorneys for JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A</p>

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